

**UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT
DOCKETING STATEMENT--CIVIL/AGENCY CASES**

Directions: Counsel must make a **docketing statement (civil/agency) filed** entry in CM/ECF within 14 days of docketing of the appeal, or within the due date set by the clerk's docketing notice, whichever is later. File with the entry the (1) docketing statement form with any extended answers and (2) any transcript order form. Parties proceeding pro se are not required to file a docketing statement. Opposing counsel who finds a docketing statement inaccurate or incomplete may file any objections within 10 days of service of the docketing statement using the ECF event-**docketing statement objection/correction filed**.

Appeal No. & Caption	24-1799 Susannah Warner Kipke et al. v. Wes Moore et al.
Originating No. & Caption	1:23-cv-1293-GLR Susannah Warner Kipke et al v. Wes Moore
Originating Court/Agency	United States District Court for the District of Maryland

Jurisdiction (answer any that apply)		
Statute establishing jurisdiction in Court of Appeals	28 U.S.C. 1291	
Time allowed for filing in Court of Appeals	30 days	
Date of entry of order or judgment appealed	Aug. 2, 2024/Aug. 8, 2024	
Date notice of appeal or petition for review filed	August 15, 2024	
If cross appeal, date first appeal filed	N/A	
Date of filing any post-judgment motion	August 7, 2024	
Date order entered disposing of any post-judgment motion	August 8, 2024	
Date of filing any motion to extend appeal period	N/A	
Time for filing appeal extended to	N/A	
Is appeal from final judgment or order?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No
If appeal is not from final judgment, why is order appealable? N/A		

Settlement (The docketing statement is used by the circuit mediator in pre-briefing review and mediation conducted under Local Rule 33. Counsel may make a confidential request for mediation by calling the Office of the Circuit Mediator at 843-731-9099.)		
Is settlement being discussed?	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No

Transcript (transcript order must be attached if transcript is needed and not yet on file)		
Is transcript needed for this appeal?	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Has transcript been filed in district court?	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Is transcript order attached?	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No

Case Handling Requirements (answer any that apply)		
Case number of any prior appeal in same case	N/A	
Case number of any pending appeal in same case	N/A	
Identification of any case pending in this Court or Supreme Court raising similar issue	N/A	
	If abeyance or consolidation is warranted, counsel must file an appropriate motion.	
Is expedited disposition necessary?	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No
	If yes, motion to expedite must be filed.	
Is oral argument necessary?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No
Does case involve question of first impression?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No
Does appeal challenge constitutionality of federal or state statute in case to which federal or state government is not a party	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No
	If yes, notice re: challenge to constitutionality of law must be filed.	

Nature of Case (Nature of case and disposition below. Attach additional page if necessary.)
<p>Plaintiffs-Appellants seek a declaration that Maryland's Firearm Carry Restrictions on the right to carry a handgun outside the home for self-defense, as enacted in Senate Bill 1, House Bill 824, and under pre-existing Maryland Law, are unconstitutional under the First, Second, and Fourteenth Amendments to the United States Constitution.</p> <p>The United States District Court for the District of Maryland granted the State's Motion for Summary Judgment as to Plaintiffs' Second Amendment claims challenging the Firearm Carry Restrictions in: (1) museums; (2) healthcare facilities; (3) State parks, State forests, and Chesapeake Forest Lands; (4) mass transit facilities; (5) schools and school grounds; (6) government buildings; and (7) stadiums, racetracks, amusement parks, and casinos. The district court also granted the State's Motion for Summary Judgment as to Plaintiffs' Fourteenth Amendment Due Process Clause (Count III) and Equal Protection Clause (Count IV) claims.</p>

Issues (Non-binding statement of issues on appeal. Attach additional page if necessary)

Whether Maryland's Firearm Carry Restrictions upheld by the District Court violate the Second Amendment because they burden conduct protected by the Second Amendment's text and are inconsistent with the Nation's historical tradition of firearm regulation and not supported by any relevantly similar historical analogue.

Adverse Parties (List adverse parties to this appeal and their attorneys; provide party's address if the party is not represented by counsel. Attach additional page if necessary.)

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Certificate of Service (required for parties served outside CM/ECF): I certify that this document was served on <u>8/27/2024</u> by <input type="checkbox"/> personal delivery; <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> mail; <input type="checkbox"/> third-party commercial carrier; or <input type="checkbox"/> email (with written consent) on the following persons at the addresses or email addresses shown:	
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